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Front page, (56) References Cited, Other Publications, Hendrickson et al. Reference: "covalent DNa-labeled natibodies and" should read --covalent DNA-labeled antibodies and-

Page 2, Other Publications, Ellington and Szostak Refererence: "the bind specific ligands" *Nature*" should read --that bind specific ligands" *Nature*--

Page 2, Other Publications, Ferre Reference: "of semi-quantitative" should read --or semi-quantitative--

Col. 9, line 24: "antibody Kd (1 µg/ml for the" should read --antibody Kd (1 pg/ml for the--

Col. 12, line 36: "IL-5 (Takakiet al., 1990);" should read --IL-5 (Takaki et al., 1990);--

Col. 24, line 7: "Mat (Coming Costar)" should read -- Mat (Corning Costar)--

Col. 25, lines 66-67: "(see above) bring the volume to bring the volume to  $10 \mu l$ ." should read --(see above) and water to bring the volume to  $10 \mu l$ .--

Col. 26, line 45: "down to 0.03 pg/mL" should read --down to 0.031 pg/mL--

Col. 27, line 18: "CTTTTCGTTGGATGTATCTGCGGCGTTT" should read --CTTTCGTTGGATGTATCTGCGGCGTTT--

Col. 28, line 22: "50 el/well of" should read --50 µl/well of--

Col. 29, line 12: "Andrake, M.; Guild, M.;" should read -- Andrake, M.; Guild, N.;--

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Col. 30, line 40: "that mimes a major" should read --that mimics a major--

Col. 31, line 11: "Gibson et al. (I 996)." should read --Gibson et al. (1996).--

Col. 33, line 48: "Gibson, T.; Boni, T.;" should read --Gibson, T.; Boni, I.;--

Col. 33, line 61: "Higuchi, R.; Hom, G. T.;" should read -- Higuchi, R.; Horn, G. T.;--

Col. 33, line 64: "487491." should read --487-491.--

Col. 33, line 65: "Mullis, K. B.; Hom, G." should read --Mullis, K. B.; Horn, G.--

Col. 47, line 13, claim 9: "inhibin, activan vascular" should read --inhibin, activin, vascular--

Col. 48, line 50, claim 34: "DNA quantities or detects" should read --DNA quantitates or detects--

Col. 48, lines 53-54, claim 35: "said quantities or detecting the PCR amplified DNA quantities or detects" should read --said quantitating or detecting the PCR amplified DNA quantitates or detects --

Col. 49, line 13, claim 38: "detector molecule, revere" should read --detector molecule, reverse--

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| Col. 50, line 11, claim 48: "blood, serum, urine," should readblood, serum, surine,  | sputum, |
| Col. 50, line 19, claim 50: "which fluorescent at" should readwhich fluoresc   | ce at   |
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